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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
7 AT SEATTLE

8 SAFECO INSURANCE COMPANY OF  
AMERICA,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 SIGURD J. HANSEN, *et al.*,

12 Defendants.  
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Case No. C19-1772RSL

ORDER DENYING DEFENDANT  
SIGURD J. HANSEN'S MOTION TO  
STAY

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15 This matter comes before the Court on Defendant Sigurd J. Hansen's Motion to Stay,  
16 Dkt. # 12. Having reviewed the submissions of the parties,<sup>1</sup> the motion is DENIED insofar as  
17 it pertains to the coverage defenses set forth in Safeco's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment,  
18 Dkt. # 19. The Court will consider Safeco's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment, to the  
19 extent it is based on the allegations of the complaint in the underlying action and will not  
20 require the resolution of any factual matters. The Clerk of Court is directed to note the pending  
21 Motion for Partial Summary Judgment, Dkt. # 19, on the Court's calendar for the Friday,  
22 March 27, 2020.

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25 <sup>1</sup> The Court has considered Safeco's late response. Jared Kiess and Michael A. Guadagno of  
26 Bullivant Houser Bailey shall, however, file an explanation for their late submission within  
seven days of the date of this Order.

Discovery and further litigation regarding coverage defenses that are not the basis for Safeco's pending Motion for Partial Summary Judgment are hereby STAYED.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2020.

Mr S Casnik

JUDGE ROBERT S. LASNIK  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE